

REGULAR MEETING OF THE GREENBELT CITY COUNCIL held Monday, May 22, 2017.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis called the meeting to order at 8:05 p.m.

ROLL CALL was answered by Councilmembers Konrad E. Herling, Leta M. Mach, Silke I. Pope, Edward V. J. Putens, Rodney M. Roberts and Mayor Pro Tem Judith F. Davis. Mayor Emmett V. Jordan was away on business and was unable to attend.

ALSO PRESENT were Nicole Ard, City Manager; David E. Moran, Assistant City Manager; Karen Ruff, Associate to the City Solicitor; and Shaniya Lashley-Mullen, Administrative Assistant.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis asked for a moment of silence in honor of Greenbelt resident Jack Mills, Rose Reminick, and former Greenbelt residents Virginia Sowell Wyant and Mildred Kern. Mayor Pro Tem also included Lt. Richard Collins III. Mr. Putens then led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

CONSENT AGENDA: Ms. Davis requested that appointment to advisory group be removed from the consent agenda and deferred it to the next meeting. It was seconded by Ms. Pope with this change; it was moved by Mr. Putens and seconded by Ms. Mach that the consent agenda be approved. The motion passed 6-0.

Council thereby took the following actions:

Minutes:

Work Session, March 29, 2017
Interview, April 24, 2017
Regular Meeting, May 8, 2017
Work Session, May 10, 2017
Work Session, May 15, 2017

Approved as presented.

Committee Reports

Community Relations Advisory Board, Report #2017-01: Council accepted this report and will consider it later on the agenda.

Forest Preserve Advisory Board, Report # 2017-017: Council accepted this report and will schedule a work session with the consultant.

Artist in Residence License Agreement: Council approved the Artist in Residence License Agreement.

Reappointment to Advisory Group: Council reappointed Rick Ransom to a new term on the Community Relations Advisory Board.

Removal from Advisory Group: Council removed Charlette Wilson from the Arts Advisory Board.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: It was moved by Mr. Putens and seconded by Ms. Pope that the agenda be approved. The motion passed 6-0.

PRESENTATIONS:

Memorial Day Poppy Presentation: Mayor Pro Tem Davis announced that the American Legion Post 136 will hold its commemoration of Memorial Day on Monday, May 29 at 11:00 am, in honor of those who have died in combat while serving in the armed forces. Members of the American Legion Post 136 Auxiliary explained the history of the Memorial Day poppy symbol and presented poppies to Council and the audience.

Peace Month Proclamation: Mayor Pro Tem Davis read a proclamation to recognize June as Peace Month. Alexander Barnes Sr. received the proclamation on behalf of the Prince George's Peace and Justice Coalition. Mr. Barnes described the upcoming activities for Peace Month.

Police Officers Proclamation: Mayor Pro Tem Davis read a proclamation to recognize the week of May 15-21 National Police Week, which included Peace Officers Memorial Day. Acting Captain Gordon Pracht received the proclamation on behalf of the Greenbelt City Police Department.

PUBLIC HEARING:

FY 2018 Budget: Mayor Pro Tem Davis read the agenda comments. She then announced the meeting was recessed at 8:41 p.m. for the hearing.

Colin Byrd, Greenbelt East, requested that next year on Police Officers Day, light the City Hall blue if there is money in the budget. Ms. Davis advised maybe not just for the one day but maybe for the whole week. Ms. Pope added to include the police station too.

Bill Orleans, Greenbelt Resident, asked if the current budget reflects the University of Maryland Shuttle service. Mayor Pro Tem Davis advised it was still listed in the budget. Mr. Orleans asked if the University of Maryland National Center of Smart Growth is included in the economic development section of the budget. Mayor Pro Tem Davis answered there will be a work session to discuss further details. Mr. Orleans wanted to know why the Old Middle School Interpretive Panel was listed on the budget over other items. Mayor Pro Tem Davis stated that it was a decision made by Council. Mr. Orleans

also inquired about the bus stop on Mandan Road at Hanover Parkway. Mayor Pro Tem Davis stated that the Capital Project Budget work session hadn't been held yet, but it was recommended by Ms. Hruby that two bus stops be taken care of and that one was on the list.

Mr. Putens advised there is money already allocated for the Economic Development Program; how it is used has not been determined. Mr. Herling stated \$116,000 has been allocated. Mayor Pro Tem Davis also advised a couple of items were taken off the list to be placed under Economic Development to be discussed at a later time.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis explained that the City had \$20,000 additional funds allotted to several items, mostly very small items. She further explained no new positions were proposed as well as no tax rate increase. There are several interpretive panels around the City in dire need of repairs. Two pointed out to Mayor Pro Tem Davis this past weekend included the one near the Aquatic Center and the other one near the lake.

Constant Yield Tax Rate: Mayor Pro Tem Davis announced that a notice had been published in the May 11, 2017 Greenbelt News Review in accordance with State Law.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis stated since the City tax rate stays the same and property values have increased that means more revenue coming in for the City.

Bill Orleans asked if the constant yield tax applies to residential or commercial property. Ms. Ard stated it's applied to commercial and residential but not personal property.

Ms. Lore Rosenthal, 2 Gardenway, wanted clarification on the tax rate. The tax rate stayed the same, but since the property value went up, the City will get a little bit more money.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis advised they are going to institute the Homeowner's Credit and the Rental Credit to assist the citizens who are having difficulties paying their property taxes.

Mr. Herling stated an important motivating part investing in Economic Development is when new business comes in; it puts less pressure on the residents.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis stated if the City raises commercial taxes, the city might have greater office vacancies and wouldn't get the personal property or income tax.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis announced that the City's tax rate would be set at the FY 2018 Budget adoption at the City Council meeting on June 5, 2017 at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Room of the Municipal Building.

Voting Age for City Elections - Lowering the Voting Age to Allow for 16 and 17 Year Olds to Vote: Mayor Pro Tem Davis read the agenda comments.

Ema Smith, 105 Ridge Road, the chair on the Youth Advisory Committee, stated the voting age should be lowered for 16 and 17 years olds because they pay local taxes but have no voice in the elections. She also stated they can drive and be charged as adults. The youth care about their local government. Takoma Park and Hyattsville passed this law a few years ago. They have had a great turn out amongst the youth for Takoma Park. Voter turnout between the ages of 18 and 25 is the lowest; it's easier to form a voting habit while still living with their parents.

Bill Orleans advised he supports lowering the voting age to allow 16 and 17 year olds to vote. He also requested that Council extend voting privileges to non-citizen residents of Greenbelt.

Colin Byrd advised he supports lowering the voting age to allow 16 and 17 year olds to vote.

The regular meeting reconvened at 9:03 p.m.

PETITIONS AND REQUESTS:

Jeff Harrison –6835 Damsel Court, on behalf of peoplepower.org and Greenbelt Racial Alliance, requests that the City promulgate an ordinance to reconcile the City's detainer policies with the policies and procedures of the County Department of Corrections. Mayor Pro Tem Davis advised it would be referred to the City Manager and staff, including the City Attorney. Mayor Pro Tem Davis also advised if it needs to be referred to the Public Safety Advisory Committee, it would be.

Bill Orleans had a question about consent agenda item #2 on tonight's agenda that was removed. Council advised Mr. Orleans it was item #22. Mr. Orleans also asked for clarification of the Executive Sessions held by Council on acquisitions of property. He also wanted clarification in general terms about Executive Sessions held on annexation.

Colin Byrd supports the petition by Mr. Jeff Harrison. Mr. Byrd asked if the City of Greenbelt is a sanctuary city. Council advised that Greenbelt is not officially designated as a sanctuary city. Mr. Byrd also asked for clarification on how an item can be listed under a public hearing and then listed as an item on the agenda to get referred back to the City Manager.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis answered by stating there are certain steps that need to be done with the Charter and City Code by staff. Council can vote tonight to give direction.

MINUTES:

Statement for the Record – Executive Session of May 9, 2017: Ms. Davis moved that in accordance with the General Provisions Article, Section 3-306(c) (2) of the Annotated

Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, the minutes of tonight's meeting reflect that Council met in executive session on Tuesday, May 9, 2017, at 7:45 p.m. in the Library of the Municipal Building. Council held this closed meeting in accordance with the General Provisions Article, §3-305(b) (9) of the Annotated Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, to consider a personnel matter (evaluation of City Manager).

Ms. Pope seconded.

ROLL CALL:	Ms. Davis	-	yes
	Mr. Herling	-	yes
	Ms. Mach	-	yes
	Ms. Pope	-	yes
	Mr. Putens	-	yes
	Mr. Roberts	-	yes
	Mayor Jordan	-	absent

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:

Ms. Ard thanked staff, Recreation, Public Works and Human Resources for all of their assistance with the Bike to Work Day, Public Works Open House and Celebration of Spring.

Ms. Ard stated there will be a Kitten Shower at the American Legion on May 27, 2017.

Ms. Ard advised the Community Relation Advisory Board community forum is being held at the Greenbriar Community Center on May 23, 2017, at 7 pm.

Ms. Ard gave the following updates to petition items: water testing requested by Mr. Byrd - readings from the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission will be back in the next couple of weeks; work on the smoking areas at Green Ridge House has started; trees have been planted at Springhill Lake Elementary School; and Woodlawn is in the process of working with the county on the bus and shuttle schedule.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis stated every year the City donated funds for the Maryland Municipal League Golf Tournament to sponsor a green and wanted to know if Ms. Ard had processed that payment. Ms. Ard answered she will follow up on it.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis also advised the Greenbelt Explorers are having an open house on Friday, June 2nd, at 7 pm at the Greenbelt Police Department.

Ms. Ard advised of a safety issue with the traffic light at the Green Ridge House. State Highway is assisting with getting it repaired and it should be done by the end of this week.

Ms. Pope thanked Public Works for replacing the trash can on Lakeside Drive. Ms. Pope requested a few more trash cans on the long stretch of the lake.

Voting Age for City Elections – Lowering the Voting Age to Allow for 16 and 17 Year Olds to Vote:

Mayor Pro Tem Davis read the agenda comments.

Ms. Mach moved to direct staff to prepare charter and other appropriate items needed to be done to allow 16 and 17 year olds to vote in City elections. Mr. Herling seconded the motion.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis stated the only thing she wanted to add, because she thinks this is going to be part of the charter change, is that the city does not have an age specific requirement to run for office. Mr. Putens added it needed to be clarified.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis advised if they allowed the 16 and 17 year olds to vote and didn't have something in there stating a certain age, anyone can run for council.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis and Ms. Pope stated the age was 18. Mr. Putens stated the age was 21. Mayor Pro Tem later advised there isn't an age requirement.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis said there should be two separate items. The first is lowering the age and the second is changing the charter to add the age restriction to whom can run for council.

Ms. Smith stated the survey the Youth Advisory Committee conducted used a site called Site Monkey and it was targeted to Greenbelt teenagers at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. Ms. Smith advised out of the 159 responses, 80% were Greenbelt residents. The survey consisted of 6 questions. Ms. Davis noted when she was a sixth grade teacher, her class used to have mock elections and the kids really enjoyed that experience.

Ms. Pope stated she wanted to hear what staff has to do in order to have the charter changed because she has reservations that the majority of the teenagers did not want to vote. She advised she wanted to hear more of the public's opinion on the matter.

Ms. Ruff advised she was looking at the charter provisions, with several sections on who can be a qualified voter in City elections. Establishing the age to run for office would have to be addressed separately.

Mr. Putens advised he has reservations on letting 16 and 17 year olds vote. He questioned whether Greenbelt is trying to be like other jurisdictions or if we are trying to do something positive for the 16 and 17 year old Greenbelt residents. He believes they do have an interest, but he is going to wait before he gives his judgment.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis stated only 19 or 20% of the registered voters voted in the last City election.

Mr. Roberts stated he would like to see more young people at the Council meetings talking about the issues that really affect them. Being more involved encourages them to

vote. Mr. Roberts believes allowing 16 and 17 year olds to vote should be a ballot question.

Mr. Herling stated we should be making it easier for citizens to vote, not harder. He thinks it's very important and applauds the Youth Advisory Committee.

Ms. Davis said putting it on the ballot will result in the very same percentage that's on the survey. Ms. Davis stated it's a small part getting the 16 and 17 year olds to become adults by studying the candidates. The only concern Ms. Davis has is trying to get everything in place before the next election.

Ms. Mach stated she discounted last year's survey question because everyone who answered the question weren't 16 or 17 years old. She also applauds the Youth Advisory Committee for bringing this issue forward and she is very supportive of this.

Ms. Pope likes Mr. Roberts's idea on putting the question on the ballot.

Mr. Putens advised that this item may require more than Council thinking about it; it may need to be a ballot question for either a regular election or a special election.

Colin Byrd supports having 16 and 17 year olds voting. Mr. Byrd advised that the charter should state that the Mayor should be the person who has received the most votes.

Mr. Roberts responded to Mr. Byrd's comment about being Mayor. They have seven councilmembers because when you have a strong Mayor, you have division. We have a council of seven people that is equal.

Ms. Lore Rosenthal, 2 Gardenway, asked for clarification on whether the 75% was for or against the 16 and 17 year old voting. Council answered the 75% was against the youth voting. Ms. Rosenthal stated she was glad that the Eleanor Roosevelt High School students have an email system to learn about the election. She also stated that she thinks 16 and 17 year olds should have the opportunity to run for Council. Ms. Rosenthal stated the charter shouldn't be separated. If you're old enough to vote, you are old enough to run for Council. It's up to the citizens of Greenbelt to elect the most qualified person.

Bill Orleans stated if Council allows 16 and 17 year olds to vote, they should be able to run for Council as well.

Janet Walenta, 6835 Damsel Court, stated that the question of 16 and 17 year olds being able to vote shouldn't be placed on the ballot.

Julie Sharapi, 1 Orange Court, stated that she has certain issues that she would like to address but doesn't because she feels she doesn't have a voice. She believes the youth don't attend meetings for the same reason. She disagrees with putting the question on the ballot because it will get a negative reaction.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis stated in middle and high schools, they have student body councils, so they are already doing the background and research on each candidate.

Ms. Pope stated that Council should have scheduled an open forum for this discussion. All citizens of Greenbelt should have the right to have their opinion voiced.

Lois Rosado, 8024 Lakecrest Drive, stated it's really important to listen to the youth. The same arguments we are having here now are the same ones that would happen in an open forum. It also doesn't need to be on the ballot. Some young people in Greenbelt want to participate in the election.

Ms. Ruff advised the resolution has to be adopted no later than the sixth Monday preceding a regular council election or at the time the special election is called. And it shall include the exact wording each question be submitted to the voters.

Mr. Roberts asked Ms. Ruff if the Council had done a lot of referendums. Ms. Ruff stated it doesn't say if the referendum is binding or not, but if we are able to meet this criteria by the sixth Monday, then it will comply.

Ms. Mach stated when they had the work session on this, there was the legality of someone under 18 to sign legal papers and serving in a legislative way. This is why she is concerned about someone under 18 running for office.

The motion tied 3-3 (Pope, Putens and Roberts)

Ms. Mach made a second motion to direct staff to prepare a charter amendment and to research the options for allowing 16 and 17 year olds to vote and potentially run for office. Mr. Herling seconded the motion.

The motion passed 6-0.

Approval of Speed Camera Contract

Mayor Pro Tem Davis read the comments.

Ms. Davis asked about the past issue that was corrected by Brekford. Acting Captain Pracht advised there were payment issues. One camera was down for a day and the City was not advised of it.

Acting Captain Pracht stated Brekford was the City's original contractor for speed cameras and is confident with going back to them.

Mr. Putens made a motion to approve and Ms. Pope seconded.

Mr. Byrd requested to hold off on voting on the speed camera contract for one more meeting and do more research, due to the major issues that occurred in Baltimore.

Acting Captain Pracht advised that the City has seven cameras and have in-house staffing for checks and balances.

Mr. Roberts asked how many companies have a speed camera program. Acting Captain Pracht stated there are seven locally. Mr. Roberts then asked why not put out a RFP and get something back from everyone in the business. Acting Captain Pracht answered that a total of four answered prior to the memo to Brekford and a fifth one answered after and was much higher. Acting Captain Pracht then went on to explain, just like the red light camera program, the bigger agencies do the RFP and in turn we can piggy back off them and can benefit off them.

Mr. Roberts replied that the City should have put out their own RFP and not piggy back off another company.

Mr. Putens stated the City is under contract with the current company, but it is at a much higher fee. If we go with the piggy back off Calvert County, it would be much cheaper.

Ms. Davis stated the City always does cooperative purchases and does hundreds of them all the time.

The motion to close the discussion passed 5-1 (Roberts).

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Ms. Mach moved to special order "Memorandum of Understanding – Greenbelt Station Parkway Bridge over Branchville Road." Ms. Pope seconded. The motion passed 6-0.

Memorandum of Understanding – Greenbelt Station Parkway Bridge over Branchville Road

Mayor Pro Tem Davis read the comments.

Ms. Jessica Bellah explained that the City has always intended to take on Greenbelt Station Parkway as a city road and Prince George's County was to take on the bridge. When State Highway Administration (SHA) came through with their permit process, they didn't extend their right-of-way line beyond what it was previously. There is a 120 foot section of Greenbelt Station Parkway that connects MD 193, which is a State Highway Administration, road to the bridge and then onward to Greenbelt Station Parkway which is a City road. Ms. Bellah advised that if the City takes on the maintenance of the 120 foot section of Greenbelt Station Parkway like as the rest of Greenbelt Station Parkway, Prince George's County would take on the bridge structure, curb and walls. The City would also be responsible for the asphalt as well as the snow plowing, street cleaning and putting up traffic signs on the bridge.

The home owners association (HOA) would take responsibility for the maintenance of the retaining walls outside of the public right-of-way.

Ms. Davis asked Ms. Bellah to explain why the City isn't asking Berwyn Heights to take over maintenance issues. Ms. Bellah answered although it's physically located within the boundaries of Berwyn Heights it is not physically connected to any roads maintained by Berwyn Heights. It's the sole entrance/exit to the Greenbelt Station community, which is a Greenbelt residential community; therefore, staff recommends covering this section.

Mr. Roberts asked why the City isn't requesting Berwyn Heights to pay for anything. He suggested the City fix the road and then bill Berwyn Heights or have Berwyn Heights give that property to the City.

In response to a question from Mr. Herling, Ms. Bellah stated that the section of roadway in question is 80' X 120', about three car lengths.

During the discussion, Mr. Putens left the meeting.

Ms. Mach moved that we accept and approve this Memorandum of Understanding as presented. Ms. Pope seconded.

The motion passed 4-1 (Roberts).

Mr. Michael German, Woodlawn Development Group, thanked Council and staff for their hard work. He also advised Berwyn Heights's hearing is on June 6th. Mr. German answered Ms. Davis's question that this matter was the hold up in getting a two million dollar bond and permit structure for the bridge.

Final Design Concept Approval – Buddy Attick Park Parking Lot

Mayor Pro Tem Davis read the comments.

In reference to a question asked by Ms. Davis, Ms. Bellah stated, the estimated cost of the project is between \$260,000 and \$380,000, available funding remaining in the Chesapeake Bay Trust (CBT) Grant Funding is \$168,000, in the FY 2018 budget allotted Program Open Space (POS) \$123,144 that requires a City cash match of \$41,038 that is not currently in the budget.

Ms. Bellah commented on the existing conditions of the parking lot at Buddy Attick Lake Park, the little green space, concrete swales people are parking in and no tree coverage. She also discussed the preferred concept plan which is to have a 9 foot median that has to expand into Buddy Attick Park with the removal of the first row of white pine trees. The final design plan includes a bioretention area that slowly treats storm water, which will be heavily planted, removal of impervious cover and a more traditional planting area that will be installed by Public Works. The sidewalk along the front of the parking areas, will lead to a receiving sidewalk that leads them to two new sitting areas with benches and interpretive signage and shade trees. A pervious flexi pave path will be used.

Ms. Davis asked if it will be easy to maintain. Ms. Bellah stated that Mr. Sterling is trained in maintaining bioretention areas and the goal is to train additional Public Works employees.

Mr. Roberts expressed concerns about cutting down the white pine trees. In response to a question asked by Ms. Davis, Ms. Bellah answered while working with Ms. Bradley she did consider using different trees for all four seasons. Ms. Bellah addressed the concerns Council had of cutting down the white pine trees, stating yes, the project could be done with reduction of the median and trying different planning schemes.

Ms. Mach moved to approve the presented design for the Buddy Attick Park Parking Lot and to direct staff to proceed with acquiring permits and advertising the project for construction. Mr. Herling seconded the motion.

The motion to close the discussion passed 4-1 (Roberts).

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Award Agreement – Gateway Signage Grant

Mayor Pro Tem Davis read the comments.

Ms. Terri Hruby gave a summary of the different signs; three columns, seven pole signs and a monument sign. The locations included the entrance to Southway, Metro Access Drive, Research Road farm entrance, Kenilworth Avenue between Westchester Park Drive and MD Route 193. Ms. Hruby stated that at previous work sessions Mayor Jordan suggested doing more pole signs than doing the one monument sign at Southway.

Mr. Roberts suggested doing more pole signs than the monument sign at Southway. He advised that the Southway sign should be maps of both the original City and the current City. Ms. Hruby advised that idea has been discussed at staff level meetings.

Mr. Herling asked about the grant amount and cost of the different signs. Ms. Hruby answered the grant is for \$50,000 plus the City match of \$19,500, giving a grant total of \$69,500. The monument sign at Southway would be close to \$44,000.

Ms. Mach stated she would like the Southway sign as the current design; a map would be nice but it would be hard to maintain.

Ms. Mach moved to approve the grant agreement and do the Southway knee wall sign and the three pole signs at Research Road, Kenilworth Avenue at Westchester Park Drive and Route 201 at the Beltway. Mr. Herling seconded the motion.

Ms. Davis stated if you do one column sign, there is a cost factor because it's less costly if you do the three pole signs. If you do the column signs, do all of them at one time.

Mr. Roberts advised he didn't think there should be a sign at Westchester Park Drive. It should be at Kenilworth Avenue at Good Luck Road. He advised it will be a wasted sign and a waste of money.

The motion passed 5-0.

Bikeways Grant Application – Feasibility Study and Design Plans for Hanover Parkway Bike Facilities

Mayor Pro Tem Davis read the comments.

Ms. Davis asked if the City has to be designated a Bicycle & Pedestrian Priority Area to be eligible for the grant. Ms. Bellah stated it isn't necessary.

Ms. Bellah gave a summary of the Maryland Bike Program. It is divided into three sub divisions; design minor retrofit and major projects that are over \$100,000. The State wants to go over priority projects. The goals of the projects are to maximize bicycle access, fill missing links and make sure there is connectivity between infrastructures that already exist.

Ms. Bellah advised Hanover Parkway to MD 193 up to Mandan Road was identified to have some minor bicycle infrastructure improvements. Hanover Parkway from the Spellman Overpass to Greenbrook Drive is considered a high priority, state designated missing link, which means that it is very competitive to go after that because they want that to be filled in. Staff has designed a project that has users cross MD 193 and solve one of our major barriers.

Ms. Bellah stated the bike share program is jumping onto a contract with the University of Maryland College Park. It has two years remaining on its contract. Zagster estimated that if the City does a 20 bike program, it will be \$72,000 for the remaining two years and about \$31,000 to continue each of the following years.

Ms. Bellah also advised the funding match is very low. The City would have to do a 20% match and the design grant would cover 80% of the cost. The Minor Retrofits and the bike share program cover 100% of the cost.

Ms. Pope moved that the City apply for both grants plus the \$15,000 match and the Bicycle Pedestrian Priority Area study from SHA. Ms. Bellah stated that they have \$20,000 budgeted for Hanover Parkway. If the City can do an additional \$5,000, then it can apply for a design project for \$75,000 total with the match.

Mr. Herling seconded the motion.

Ms. Bellah inquired if Council wanted to direct staff to go for a \$10,000 or a \$15,000 match. Council advised the \$15,000 match.

Mr. Roberts asked what is the best way to cross Greenbelt Road. Ms. Bellah stated that is why she wanted the City to do the study from SHA.

The motion passed 5-0.

COUNCIL ACTIVITIES: Council noted their attendance at the following events.

MML Engagement Outreach Committee Meeting/If I was a Mayor Contest Award Ceremony at the State House – Ms. Mach
Drug Drop Box Ribbon Cutting, Police Station – Mayor Jordan, Ms. Davis, Ms. Pope and Ms. Mach
Met Municipal Leaders with Congressman Steny Hoyer - Ms. Mach and Ms. Pope
Clean Air Partners Annual Award Ceremony – Ms. Mach
Bike to Work Day, Greenbelt Pit Stop – Ms. Pope, Ms. Davis and Mr. Putens
International Night, Springhill Lake Elementary – Ms. Pope
Boxwood Community Yard Sale - Ms. Mach and Mr. Putens
Public Works Open House – Ms. Davis, Ms. Mach, Mr. Putens and Ms. Pope
Adaptive Kayak Event, Greenbelt Lake – Ms. Davis, Ms. Pope
Celebration of Spring, Springhill Lake Rec Center – Ms. Davis, Ms. Mach, Ms. Pope, Mr. Herling and Mr. Putens
Dedication of Crazy Quilt Tiles, Springhill Lake Rec Center – Ms. Davis, Ms. Mach, Ms. Pope, Mr. Herling and Mr. Putens
Transportation Planning Board Meeting – Mr. Herling
Green Man Festival – Ms. Mach and Mr. Putens
Post Ever Lasting, American Legion 136 – Ms. Pope

COUNCIL REPORTS: None

MEETINGS: Council reviewed the meeting schedule.

ADJOURNMENT: Ms. Mach moved to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Pope seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Mayor Pro Tem Davis adjourned the regular meeting of Monday, May 22, 2017, at 11:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Shaniya Lashley-Mullen
Administrative Assistant

"I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct report of the regular meeting of the City Council of Greenbelt, Maryland, held May 22, 2017".

Judith F. Davis
Mayor Pro Tem